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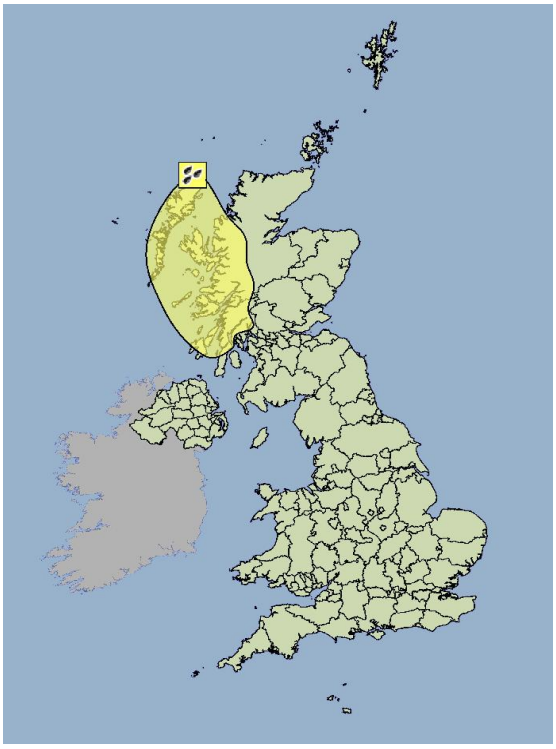

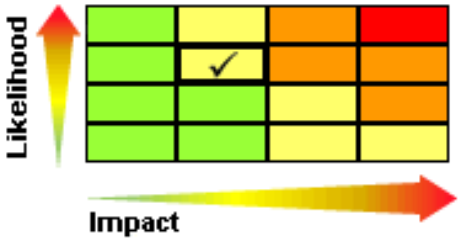

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An Atlantic frontal system will affect western Scotland later on Friday and through Saturday. Moist air and strong flow will combine to produce some large rainfall amounts, especially over high ground. 50 to 80 mm may fall in a 36 hour period, with perhaps as much as 100 mm over exposed hills in the northwest of the area.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Alert** of **Rain**

Valid from **00:05 on Sat, 24th Sep 2016** until **21:00 on Sat, 24th Sep 2016**

Across the West Highlands and Western Isles, rain will become persistent later on Friday and occasionally turn heavy during Saturday. Rain will be accompanied by strong to gale force southerly winds, and leaf fall and tree debris may reduce road drainage. Excess surface water could lead to localised flooding in prone areas, whilst strong winds are also likely to generate rough seas.

Be aware of the likelihood of some limited travel disruption and difficult driving conditions. The rain will start to clear this region later on Saturday evening.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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